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1. An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

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Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Raymond E. Farrell (34,816) on January 5, 2007.

The application has been amended as follows:

In claim 4 at line 1, replace "3" with - - 1- -.

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the
examiner should be directed to Martin J. Angebranndt whose telephone number is 571-272-1378.
 The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Thursday and alternate Fridays.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Mark Huff can be reached on 571-272-1385. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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